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PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR §1.136

Petitioners, SciMed Life Systems, Inc., hereby request a one month extension of time to respond to the Advisory Action mailed September 30, 2004. Please charge the petition fee of \$110.00 as set forth in 37 CFR §1.17 and any outstanding fee for extension to our Deposit Account No. 22-0350.

Respectfully submitted,

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